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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

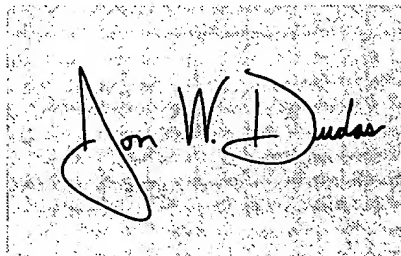
Title Page

Item (63), second col. lines 17-21, Related U.S. Application Data, omit the following:  
"which is a continuation-in-part of application No. 08/904,804, filed on August 1, 1997, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of application No. 08/806,099, filed February 25, 1997, now abandoned."

Title page item (56), second page second col. line 45, Other Publications, "λ ZAP: a bacteriophage λ expression vector with *in vivo* excision properties," *Nucleic Acids Research* 16(15):7583-7600, 1998" should read as -- λ ZAP: a bacteriophage λ expression vector with *in vivo* excision properties," *Nucleic Acids Research* 16(15):7583-7600, 1988--

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